HOUSE BILL 2043

By Bailey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, relative to evaluation of teachers and principals.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-302(d)(2)(B), is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision:

(viii) In the first year of administration of new standardized testing based on implementation of common core standards, TVAAS results based on the new standardized test results shall not be included as a portion of any teacher's evaluation criteria. No employment decisions, including but not limited to promotion, retention, termination, compensation and the attainment of tenure status, shall be based in whole or in part on the first year standardized test results or on TVAAS results produced from such standardized test results.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.